

CAMBRIDGE LICENSE COMMISSION CITY CAMBRIDGE

831 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., 1ST FLOOR, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02139 • TEL (617) 349-6140 • FAX (617) 349-6148

RICHARD V. SCALI Chairman

CHIEF GERALD R. REARDON Fire Department Commission Member

COMMISSIONER ROBERT C. HAAS Police Department Commission Member

ELIZABETH Y. LINT Executive Officer

To:

Robert W. Healy, City Manager

From: Elizabeth Y. Lint

RE:

Sun Shine Transportation

On September 22, 2009 the Board of License Commissioners voted 3-0 in favor of recommending approval to the City Manager for the City Council regarding the application for a Jitney license by Sun Shine Transportation. They plan to operate two (2) 15 passenger, Ford vans to shuttle passengers from Logan Airport to Cambridge hotels only. The vans will be operating from 10:00am to 1:00am seven days per week. The Commissioners noted that this will not affect Cambridge taxi drivers, as they cannot pickup passengers at the airport.



CAMBRIDGE LICENSE COMMISSION CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

831 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., 1ST FLOOR, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02139 • TEL (617) 349-6140 • FAX (617) 349-6148

RICHARD V. SCALI

CHIEF GERALD R. REARDON Fire Department Commission Member

COMMISSIONER ROBERT C. HAAS Police Department Commission Member

ELIZASETH Y. LINT Executive Officer

September 28, 2009

Anouar Daissaoui 8 View Street, Apt. B N. Revere, MA 02151

Re: Application for a jitney license Sun Shine Transportation

Dear Mr. Daissaoui:

On September 22, 2009 the Board of License Commissioners voted 3-0 to recommend approval to the City Manager for the City Council. You will be heard by the City Council on October 5, 2009 at 5:30pm. You must attend this hearing.

This recommendation has the following conditions:

- You shall only drop off passengers at Royal Sonesta, Marriott Residence Inn, Hotel Marlowe, Le Meridien, Hyatt, and Courtyard by Marriott;
- 2. You shall not make any pick-ups in Cambridge;
- 3. You are approved for only two vans;
- 4. You may operate seven days per week from 10:00am to 1:00am;
- 5. You must obtain a Massport Permit.

This will not affect the cabs in Cambridge because they cannot pickup at Logan Airport.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth Y. Lint Executive Officer

EYL/co

cc: Richard Scali, Chairman; Chief Gerald Reardon; Commissioner Robert Haas; Deputy Chief Dan Turner.

O'Neil, Christopher

From:

Muehe, Michael

Sent:

Wednesday, September 16, 2009 1:56 PM

To:

O'Neil, Christopher

Cc:

Scali, Richard; Lint, Elizabeth

Subject:

RE: September 22 License Commission Agenda

Dear Chris,

Thanks so much for your speedy reply. I have some follow-up comments/questions:

- 1.) Sun Shine Transportation -- please be advised that, under the ADA, any jitney service or shuttle service which is primarily engaged in providing transportation services to the public is required to ensure that they provide equivalent service to people with disabilities, including people who use wheelchairs. I want to go on record as strongly opposing any License Commission action which would grant any permission to Sun Shine Transportation to operate in Cambridge without written assurances that they will be providing equivalent service to people with disabilities, including people who use wheelchairs. The ADA requirements for demand-responsive transportation services is slightly different than that for fixed-route services -- do you know whether Sun Shine Transportation is planning to operate a demand responsive service or a fixed route service? Please provide me with a copy of Sun Shine Transportation's jitney application, including any contact names/addresses/phone numbers/e-mail addresses that you have for the applicant(s).
- 2.) Zero Arrow Street Theater -- I am sorry that you are unable to scale down those full-size plans -- please provide me with any contact names/addresses/phone numbers/e-mail addresses for the applicant(s) so that I may contact them directly. Also, please be advised that the License Commission may want to adopt a policy, as is the case with the Inspectional Services Department, that any plans/diagrams submitted along with an application must also be submitted in electronic format/PDF files. This would make distribution of said plan/diagrams to interested parties much easier. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.
- 3.) Medallion #253A -- thanks very much for the update.

Again, thank you for your attention to these matters.

Best regards,

Michael

From: O'Neil, Christopher

Sent: Wednesday, September 16, 2009 11:55 AM

To: Muehe, Michael

Subject: RE: September 22 License Commission Agenda

Mr. Muehe,

- 1) I do not know, but I don't believe they are.
- 2) This is Zero Arrow Theatre at 2 Arrow Street. The plans they submitted are full size so there is no way I can scale them down.
- 3) He is selling his medallion to George Fiorenza.

Hope all is well.

-Chris

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

Traffic, Parking and Transportation

344 Broadway

Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139

www.cambridgema.gov/traffic

Susan E. Clippinger, Director Brad Gerratt, Deputy Director

Phone: (617) 349-4700 Fax: (617) 349-4747

MEMORANDUM

To:

Elizabeth Lint, License Commission

From:

Adam Shulman, Transportation Planner

Date:

July 21, 2009

Re:

Sun Shine Transportation Shuttle Route

Our Department received a shuttle routing request from Anouar Daissaoui to operate a shuttle service called Sun Shine Transportation from Logan Airport to seven (7) Hotels in Cambridge. The shuttle service will be operated by two (2) vans, which can accommodate 15 passengers and will operate 7 days a week from 10:00 AM to 1:00 AM. The proposed route is as follows:

Enter City of Cambridge from Monsignor O'Brian Highway

Left onto Edwin H. Land Blvd.

Pull into STOP 1 - Marlowe Hotel

Leave Hotel taking a Right onto Edwin H. Land Blvd. and Left into STOP 2 - Royal Sonesta Hotel

Leave Hotel taking a Left onto Edwin H. Land Blvd. and Right onto Binney Street

Binney Street turns into Galileo Galilei Way, then Left onto Broadway

Pull into STOP 3 - Marriott Residence Inn

Leave Inn taking a Right onto Broadway to STOP 4 - Marriott Hotel

Leave Hotel taking a Right onto Broadway and Right onto Main Street

Follow Main Street to Sidney Street Extension

Cross Massachusetts Avenue onto Sidney Street

Take Left onto Green Street, and pull into STOP 5 - Le Meridien Cambridge Hotel

Leave Hotel onto Green street and take a Left onto Landsdowne Street

Right onto Massachusetts Avenue to Memorial Drive

Right onto Memorial Drive

Follow Memorial Drive and take Right onto Amesbury Street to STOP 6 - Hyatt Hotel

Leave Hotel onto Amesbury Street and take a Right onto Memorial Drive

Follow Memorial Drive to STOP 7 - Marriott Courtyard Hotel

Leave Hotel taking a Left onto Pleasant Street and Right onto Memorial Drive

Follow Memorial Drive to Western Avenue

Left onto Western Avenue to exit City over the Charles River (Western Avenue Bridge)

Follow Mass. Pike East (90 E) and Return to Logan Airport.

The TP&T Department reviewed the proposed shuttle service route. The roadways can accommodate the shuttle service, the route does not impact residential streets, and all stops are on private property. The TP&T Department approves the route with the following conditions.

- > The proponent should obtain approval from the Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) because the route uses Edwin H. Land Boulevard and Memorial Drive which are owned by DCR.
- > No illegal U-turns shall be done.
- > Changing of directions should be conducted as indicated on the routing plan.
- No operations should occur on residential streets that do not serve any hotels.
- > This Department should approve any routing changes to this service.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at 617-349-4745.